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Kansas Cattle on Feed

The number of **cattle on feed** on August 1, 2007 in Kansas feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity totaled 2.1 million head, down 11 percent from a year ago and down 2 percent from July 1, 2007. **Placements** during July totaled 430,000 head, down 27 percent from a year ago but 15 percent above June 2007 placements of 375,000 head. **Marketings** during July totaled 450,000 head, 9 percent below July 2006 and 13 percent below June 2007. **Other disappearance** was 20,000 head, up 5,000 from a year ago and up 10,000 from the previous month. The percent of July placements by weight was: under 600 pounds, 17 percent; 600-699 pounds, 21 percent; 700-799 pounds, 33 percent; and 800 pounds or heavier, 29 percent.

Cattle on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other Disappearance,
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, July - August 2006 - 2007

State	Number on Feed ¹				July Placements	July Marketings	Other Disappearance during July ²			
	Jul 1 2007	August 1								
		2006	2007	% of 2006	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>(%)</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AZ.....	343	339	341	101	31	32	34	33	2	1
CA	545	515	540	105	55	51	67	54	3	2
CO	940	940	870	93	145	115	175	175	10	10
ID.....	220	225	205	91	36	35	40	49	1	1
IA.....	510	445	500	112	60	64	73	73	2	1
KS.....	2,140	2,360	2,100	89	590	430	495	450	15	20
NE.....	2,050	1,950	1,910	98	380	350	410	480	10	10
NM.....	132	144	129	90	23	12	18	14	1	1
OK	325	345	305	88	58	48	52	67	1	1
SD.....	197	165	175	106	24	22	38	42	1	2
TX.....	2,870	2,970	2,780	94	480	390	480	470	10	10
WA	150	154	144	94	33	27	26	32	1	1
Oth Sts	315	270	300	111	43	46	42	60	1	1
U.S.	10,737	10,822	10,299	95	1,958	1,622	1,950	1,999	58	61

¹ Being fattened for slaughter market on grain or other concentrates to grade select or better. ² Includes death loss, movement from feedlots to pastures and shipments to other feedlots.

U.S. Cattle on Feed

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the United States in feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 10.3 million head on August 1, 2007. The inventory was down 5 percent from the 10.8 million head on August 1, 2006 but 2 percent above August 1, 2005. **Placements** in feedlots during July totaled 1.62 million, 17 percent below 2006 and 3 percent below 2005. Net placements were 1.56 million. During July, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 360,000; 600-699 pounds were 312,000; 700-799 pounds were 445,000; and 800 pounds and greater were 505,000. **Marketings** of fed cattle during July totaled 2.0 million, 3 percent above 2006 and 4 percent above 2005. **Other disappearance** totaled 61,000 during July, 5 percent above 2006 but unchanged from 2005.

Cattle on Feed: Number Placed on Feed by Weight Group,
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, July 2006-2007

State	Placed in July									
	Under 600 lbs.		600-699 lbs.		700-799 lbs.		800 Plus lbs.		Total	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
CO	40	15	30	20	40	35	35	45	145	115
KS.....	140	75	145	90	165	140	140	125	590	430
NE.....	60	55	65	60	100	90	155	145	380	350
TX.....	220	110	110	100	105	115	45	65	480	390
Other States	110	105	53	42	80	65	120	125	363	337
U.S.....	570	360	403	312	490	445	495	505	1,958	1,622

U.S. and Canadian July Cattle Inventory Down Slightly

All cattle and calves in the U.S. and Canada combined totaled 120.7 million head on July 1, 2007, down slightly from a year ago. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 48.6 million head, was down slightly from a year ago.

All cattle and calves in the United States as of July 1, 2007, totaled 104.8 million head, slightly below the 105.2 million on July 1, 2006 but 1 percent above the 104.2 million two years ago.

All cattle and calves in Canada as of July 1, 2007, totaled 15.9 million head, down 1 percent from the 16.0 million on July 1, 2006, and 6 percent below the 16.9 million two years ago. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 6.1 million head, was down 1 percent from the 6.2 million on July 1, 2006, and 6 percent below the 6.5 million from two years ago.

Cattle And Calves: Number By Class and Calf Crop, Total for United States and Canada, July 1, 2005-2007 ¹

Class	2005	2006	2007	2007 as % of 2006
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Cattle and Calves	121,080	121,200	120,685	100
Cows & Heifers That Have Calved	48,961	48,765	48,593	100
Beef Cows	38,886	38,615	38,463	100
Milk Cows	10,075	10,150	10,130	100
All Other Cattle	72,119	72,435	72,094	100
	2004	2005	2006	2006 as % of 2005
Calf Crop ²	42,932	43,076	42,880	100

¹ Totals may not add due to rounding. ² January to December calf crop. Source: National Agricultural Statistics Service and Livestock and Animal Products Section, Statistics Canada

Kansas Milk Production down 2.1 Percent but U.S. up 3.9 Percent

The July 2007 **milk production in Kansas** totaled 190 million pounds, unchanged from June 2007 but down 2.1 percent from July 2006. The **production per cow** averaged 1,760 pounds, up 15 pounds from June 2007 and up 40 pounds from July 2006. The **number of milk cows** was estimated at 108,000 cows, down 1,000 head from June 2007 and down 5,000 head from the previous year.

Milk production in the 23 major States during July totaled 14.5 billion pounds, up 3.9 percent from July 2006. June production, revised at 14.2 billion pounds, was up 1.2 percent from June 2006. The June revision represented an increase of 6.0 million pounds from last month’s preliminary production estimate. **Production per cow** in the 23 major States averaged 1,743 pounds for July, 55 pounds above July 2006. The **number of milk cows** on farms in the 23 major States was 8.31 million head, 50,000 head above July 2006, and 14,000 head above June 2007.

For economic analyses and market implications of these reports, please go to www.agmanager.info/livestock.marketing/graphs for the latest livestock charts provided by Dr. Jim Mintert, Extension Ag Economist with KSU-Research & Extension Service. A link to the latest newsletter and radio comments is also available on this page.